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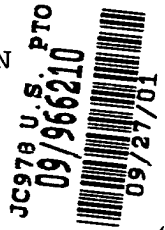
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Sir:

In compliance with the provisions of Rules 1.97(b)(1) and 1.98, enclosed and listed on Form PTO-1449 are the references discussed on pages 1-4 of the application.

Further consideration of the application is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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